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SUBJECT: GERMANY TO PARTICIPATE IN FIFTH GLOBAL INITIATIVE  
MEETING

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(SBU) Germany will participate in the Fifth Global Initiative. EconOff met with Marc Hinrichsen, German MFA POC for the Global Initiative, as well as Dmitri Cherkashin, First Secretary of Russia's Embassy Berlin. Hinrichsen stated that Ambassador Viktor Elbling will likely represent Germany. Hinrichsen also thanked the hosts and organizers for the generous advance notice of the meeting, stating that it allowed maximum flexibility in planning.  
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